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No. 106912/P & M (B) 4/63/PD. *Dated, Trivandrum, 4th January* 1964.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-rule (1) of Rule 62 of the Defence of India Rules, 1962, the Government of Kerala hereby authorise the carrying out of Artillery practice and the coastal firing towards sea throughout the area of the sea from the Equatorial Sounding Rocket Station, Pallithura, Trivandrum District during January–February 1964 according to the particulars mentioned in Schedule I. The danger area over which and the danger period during which the launching will continue are also specified in Schedule I and Schedule II below.

Schedule I.

Firing time and date:

First Series — Weather permitting, it is intended to fire rockets on the 8th and 9th of January 1964 or the following days upto January 14th at the time noted below:

Morning : 0600 hrs.

Evening : 1844 hrs.

Firing Direction:

First Series — The rocket will be fired from an elevation angle 80° and an azimuth angle of 270° ± 30°.

SCHEDULE II.

The rocket is capable of reaching an altitude of 200 Km and a horizontal range of 210 Km. The danger area will be at the points of impact as follows:—

(a) For the first stage: (Nike Booster)

A circular area of 1·5 NM radius with its centre at 2·5 NM from the shore;

(b) For the Second stage:

A circular area of 33 Miles radius with its centre at 117 NM from the shore.

The above areas are considered to be within the danger zone and should be cleared of all shipping, fishing boats, etc. and aircraft, to the altitude specified.

Duration of danger time:

For 30 minutes from the actual time of firing.

By order of the Governor,
M. S. K. RAMASWAMY,
Deputy Secretary.

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